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Vietnam

Rice Price - Weekly

Situation for the Week Ending November 5, 2010

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Report Highlights:

Exporters' price offers continued to move sharply higher last week due to the strong upward price pressure on local paddy rice. However, most exporters were hesitant to commit to new deals because of the highly volatile price environment.

Local paddy prices jumped 4% during the week due to the current local short supply.

Post: Commodities: Hanoi Rice, Milled

Indicative Price:

Trader Quotes for Vietnam Rice Exports FOB basis, Week ending November 05, 2010

| | | Quotes (\$/ton) | | | | | | Quote Averages | |
|--------|-----|-----------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|----------------|----------------|
| % | #1 | #2 | #3 | #4 | #5 | #6 | #7 | Current | Previous (Oct. |
| Broken | | | | | | | | Average | 29) |
| 5 | 510 | 510 | 510 | 505 | 505 | 510 | 510 | 508.57 | 488.57 |
| 10 | 500 | 500 | 500 | 495 | 495 | 500 | 500 | 498.57 | 478.57 |
| 15 | 490 | 490 | 490 | 490 | 490 | 490 | 490 | 490.00 | 462.86 |
| 25 | 480 | 480 | 480 | 480 | 480 | 480 | 480 | 480.00 | 452.96 |

Source: Vietnamese rice exporters